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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJ: RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL

1. ISRAELI MINISTER SHALEV TELEPHONED ASSISTANT SECRETARY NEWSOM OCTOBER 31 TO REQUEST CONTINUED US ASSISTANCE IN /STIFFENING" RESOLVE OF REMAINING AFRICAN COUNTRIES TO PRESERVE RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL. NEWSOM SAID WE WOULD DO WHAT WE COULD.

2. NEWSOM ALSO TOOK OCCASION TO SUGGEST THAT HARD LINE ISRAEL PURSUING ON NOT ACCEPTING FORCES FROM COUNTRIES WHICH HAD BROKEN RELATIONS MIGHT WORK TO ISRAEL'S DISADVANTAGE. IN GHANA FOR EXAMPLE US UNDERSTANDS BREAK
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WITH ISRAEL WAS NOT POPULAR AND ISRAELI ACCEPTANCE OF

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GHANAIAN FORCES MIGHT BE ONE WAY OF STRENGTHENING
PRO-ISRAELI FORCES IN THAT COUNTRY. DISTINCTION SHOULD
PERHAPS BE MADE AMONG COUNTRIES ON BASIS OF WHEN AND HOW
RELATIONS WERE BROKEN. SHALEV ACKNOWLEDGED THIS WAS VALID
POINT AND PROMISED REPORT IT.

3. WE LEAVE TO DISCRETION NAIROBI, ABIDJAN AND MONROVIA
WHETHER THEY FURTHER RAISE ISSUE OF RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL.
WE DESIRE LEND SUPPORT IF SUCH SUPPORT LIKELY BE HELPFUL.
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